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REMARKS

Claims 18, 20 and 21 were objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but were deemed allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Claims 18, 20 and 21 have been thusly rewritten including all underlying limitations in accordance with the allowed subject matter. All other claims have been cancelled. The Applicant submits that the application is in condition for allowance.

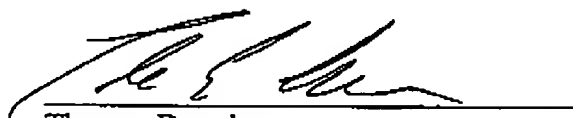
CONCLUSION

The Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for his recognition of the allowable subject matter. In light of the above amendments, Applicant submits that all remaining claims are in condition for allowance. The application is now in condition for allowance and expeditious notice thereof is earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner have any questions or comments that would place the application in better condition for allowance, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call the undersigned attorney.

The Examiner is authorized to charge any fees required to Deposit Account No. 50-0476.

Respectfully submitted,



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